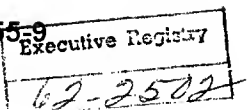


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19 April 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: General Carter

SUBJECT: Dr. William Baker's Interest in Audio Measures

25X1 1. [] called this afternoon concerning Dr. Killian's
25X1 telephone call to you. Relative to paragraph 3 of your Memorandum for
the Record, [] says that Dr. Bill Baker has been interested in our
audio work for some years. Baker is particularly impressed with the
Agency's offensive capabilities, but apparently is upset because the
Government has not licked the defensive problem. He also feels that
the severity of the problem is not realized through the top echelons of
the Government--right up to the President.

25X1 2. Some time ago, Baker requested a three-pronged briefing on
25X1 audio work: the first describing our offensive capabilities; another on
defensive capabilities, including problems our "sweepers" encounter in
the field; and, third, damage which the U. S. has suffered through
enemy audio penetration. [] briefed Baker's panel early in
March on the first prong only, describing our offensive audio capabilities.
On March 24, [] briefed the Killian Committee, upon the request
of Baker, and he says the Committee seemed to be impressed by our
capabilities.

25X1 3. According to [] Baker is still concerned by the lack
25X1 of R&D effort against audio countermeasures. He has specifically asked
[] where this effort should be centered in the Government: how about
CIA handling it; and, categorically, whether it should be in TSD. [] 25X1
says that he has evaded these questions and only on the last one suggested
that it be discussed with Dick Helms.

25X1 4. [] phoned this information in thinking it might lend some
light on paragraph 3 of your memorandum for the record. He will be
happy to provide any other info desired.

25X1 cc: []

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